GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:127
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Indiaâ€™s Imports and Exports
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the item-wise details of imports and exports made from the country during the last three years and the current year along with the value thereof;
(b) whether the country's export has been continuously increasing during the last one year and if so, the details thereof; and
(c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to increase the exports/ imports?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)
(a): The Principal Commodity-wise details of India's merchandise imports and exports along with the values thereof for the last three years and the current year are at Annexure-I & Annexure-II respectively.

(b): India's merchandise exports have registered a positive growth rate during the last financial year (except in the months of April, May and July, 2016) and the current year as compared to the corresponding period of previous year as reflected in the following month-wise export details:

Months 2015-16 (in US$ Billions)	2016-17 (in US$ Billions)	% Growth 2016-17	2017-18 (in US$ Billions)	% Growth
April 22.14	20.89	-5.63	20.89	24.62 17.87
May 22.53	22.40	-0.59	22.40	24.01 7.18
June 22.32	22.66	1.49		
July 23.28	21.68	-6.87		
August 21.58	21.60	0.07		
September 21.87	22.91	4.74		
October 21.46	23.35	8.82		
November 19.56	20.06	2.55		
December 22.59	24.04	6.39		
January 21.20	22.29	5.13		
February 20.85	25.54	22.54		
March 22.91	29.14	27.20		
Total 262.29	276.55	5.44	43.29	48.63 12.34

(c): The Government has taken following steps to increase the country's exports:
(i) The New Foreign Trade Policy (2015-20) was announced on 1st April, 2015 with a focus on supporting both manufacturing and services exports.
(ii) The Merchandise Exports from India Scheme (MEIS) has been introduced in the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2015-20 on 01.04.2015 with the objective to offset infrastructural inefficiencies and associated costs involved in exporting goods/products which are produced/ manufactured in India and to provide a level playing field to Indian exporters, especially those having high export intensity and employment potential. The Scheme incentivizes exporters in terms of freely transferable Duty Credit Scrips which are transferable and can be used to pay certain Central duties/taxes including customs duties. The Scheme covers exports of 7914 tariff lines at 8 digit levels to all countries.
(iii) The Services Exports from India Scheme (SEIS) has been introduced in the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2015-20 on 01.04.2015. The Scheme provides rewards at the rate of 3 to 5% on Net Foreign Exchange earnings, to service providers of notified services from India to rest of the world, in the form of Duty Credit Scrips which are transferable and can be used to pay certain Central duties/taxes including customs duties.
(iv) The Government has implemented the Niryat Bandhu Scheme with an objective to reach out to the new and potential exporters including exporters from Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) and mentor them through orientation programmes, counseling sessions, individual facilitation etc., on various aspects of foreign trade for being able to get into international trade and boost exports from India.
(v) As part of the "Ease of Doing Business" initiatives, the Government has launched Single Window Interface for Facilitating Trade (SWIFT) clearances project w.e.f 1st April, 2016. The scheme enables the importers/exporters to file a common electronic 'Integrated Declaration' on the Indian Customs Electronic Commerce/Electronic Data Interchange (EC/EDI) Gateway i.e. ICEGATE portal. The Integrated Declaration compiles the information requirements of Customs, FSSAI, Plant Quarantine, Animal Quarantine, Drug Controller, Wild Life Control Bureau and Textile Committee. It replaces nine separate forms required by these 6 different agencies and Customs.

(vi) Interest Equalization Scheme on pre & post shipment credit was launched to provide cheaper credit to exporters.
(vii) A new scheme called Special Advance Authorisation Scheme for export of articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories was introduced w.e.f. 1st September 2016 wherein exporters are entitled for an authorisation for fabrics including inter lining on pre-import basis and all industry rate of Duty Drawback for non-fabric inputs on the exports.
(viii) Further, the Government continues to provide the facility of access to duty free raw materials and capital goods for exports through schemes like Advance Authorization, Duty Free Import Authorization (DFIA), Export Promotion Capital Goods (EPCG) and drawback / refund of duties.
(ix) The Government launched a new scheme called Trade Infrastructure for Export Scheme (TIES) w.e.f. 15th March, 2017 with the objective to enhance export competitiveness by bridging gaps in export infrastructure, creating focused export infrastructure, first mile and last mile connectivity for export oriented projects and addressing quality and certification measures. The Central and State Agencies, including Export Promotion Councils, Commodities Boards, SEZ Authorities and Apex Trade Bodies recognised under the EXIM policy of Government of India are eligible for financial support under this scheme.
(x) The Government has approved the proposal for notification of commitments under the Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA) of World Trade Organization (WTO), ratification and acceptance of the Instrument of Acceptance of Protocol of TFA to the WTO Secretariat and constitution of the National Committee on Trade Facilitation (NCTF). The Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA) contains provisions for expediting the movement, release and clearance of goods, including goods in transit. It also sets out measures for effective cooperation between customs and other appropriate authorities on trade facilitation and customs compliance issues. These objectives are in consonance with India's "Ease of Doing Business" initiative.
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Annexure-I
Statement referred to in reply of part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred question no. 127 for answer on 17th July 2017.
India's Merchandise Imports: Principal Commodity-wise

(in US$ Millions)

S.No.	Principal Commodities	Unit	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 (Apr-May)*
1	Petroleum: Crude	TON	116442.86	65922.98	70716.92	12175.03
2	Gold	KGS	34407.18	31770.74	27518.03	8811.97
3	Pearl, Precious, Semiprecious Stones		22598.25	20069.95	23808.60	6799.49
4	Coal, Coke And Briquettes Etc	TON	17802.56	13667.59	15748.75	3718.32
5	Telecom Instruments		14697.34	15402.65	16569.67	3523.74
6	Petroleum Products	TON	21882.65	17021.49	16179.11	2903.63
7	Vegetable Oils	TON	10621.48	10492.08	10894.08	2102.36
8	Organic Chemicals	KGS	11341.68	9623.24	9879.06	1983.93
9	Electronics Components		5383.28	7115.42	8406.40	1949.58
10	Plastic Raw Materials	TON	9223.19	8821.51	8810.13	1863.76
11	Indl. Machinery For Dairy Etc		9184.21	9669.28	9379.26	1590.82
12	Iron And Steel	TON	12342.03	11251.89	8238.88	1492.44
13	Other Commodities		10536.63	11017.77	10731.63	1208.30
14	Electric Machinery And Equipment		6061.64	6040.66	6317.26	1205.06
15	Electronics Instruments		5408.32	5888.50	6067.31	1154.38
16	Computer Hardware, Peripherals		7246.10	7508.87	6894.41	1147.08
17	Residual Chemical & Allied Product		5166.22	5087.35	5286.97	1027.57
18	Bulk Minerals And Ores		6622.98	5256.25	4284.02	821.57
19	Silver	KGS	4523.51	3742.74	1839.17	795.74
20	Copper & Products Made Of Copper		0.00	0.00	0.00	769.46
21	Auto Components/Parts		4225.07	4370.13	4063.06	759.29
22	Inorganic Chemicals	KGS	4494.25	4447.11	3958.43	755.17
23	Aluminium, Products Of Aluminium	TON	3813.40	3507.21	3557.04	717.68
24	Ship, Boat And Floating Structure		4959.03	4503.37	5657.27	700.69
25	Fertilizers Manufactured	TON	6371.93	7057.65	4265.75	675.73
26	AC, Refrigeration Machinery Etc		3063.32	4042.86	2900.89	656.01
27	Medical And Scientific Instrument		3386.79	3288.94	3545.88	654.54
28	Consumer Electronics		4122.04	4106.49	3992.29	631.46
29	Pulses	TON	2786.11	3902.22	4244.26	585.03
30	Products Of Iron And Steel		3959.31	3725.66	3444.18	578.11
31	Other Misc. Engineering Items		2634.82	2756.23	2998.21	541.01
32	Paper, Paper Board And Product		2566.53	2407.64	2602.23	516.24
33	Bulk Drugs, Drug Intermediates	KGS	3245.64	3248.36	2738.47	489.66
34	Ic Engines And Parts		2190.94	2080.68	1925.17	392.50
35	Machine Tools		2167.47	1911.93	2256.85	375.78
36	Other Rubber Product Except Footwear		1992.76	1685.60	1747.54	364.48
37	Fresh Fruits	TON	1565.20	1694.84	1677.01	357.66
38	Project Goods	KGS	3631.43	2761.07	2078.13	354.54
39	Other Construction Machinery		1596.52	1456.28	1667.15	348.07
40	Aircraft, Spacecraft And Parts		4706.71	4983.82	8407.30	318.84

S.No.	Principal Commodities	Unit	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 (Apr-May)*
41	Manmade Yarn, Fabrics, Madeups		1885.71	1727.44	1606.97	291.22
42	Agro Chemicals	KGS	980.69	843.94	1049.21	281.48
43	Paint, Varnish And Allied Product	KGS	1344.56	1320.49	1370.08	267.88
44	Drug Formulations, Biologicals	KGS	1562.54	1582.60	1662.18	254.83
45	Moulded And Extruded Goods		1129.34	1190.02	1246.79	234.49
46	Plywood And Allied Products		954.46	1082.55	1087.84	224.60
47	Cashew	TON	1087.16	1339.34	1346.58	222.77
48	Plastic Sheet, Film, Plates Etc	KGS	1008.95	1066.82	1144.28	222.68
49	Other Wood And Wood Products		1950.01	1557.93	1202.07	222.27
50	Glass And Glassware		891.22	967.74	1053.56	216.70
51	Pulp And Waste Paper	KGS	944.02	955.72	975.14	205.30
52	Cosmetics And Toiletries		989.71	941.25	1051.66	202.46
53	Processed Minerals	KGS	739.15	714.85	861.79	201.22
54	Other Plastic Items		708.81	716.20	763.14	179.95
55	Hand Tool, Cutting Tool Of Metals		969.69	845.52	777.73	179.05
56	Cranes, Lifts And Winches		1064.86	1147.97	1379.86	176.42
57	Accumulators And Batteries		596.58	836.51	865.34	175.68
58	Cotton Raw Incld. Waste	TON	508.80	394.10	946.70	174.96
59	Other Non Ferrous Metal And Product		0.00	0.00	0.00	169.54
60	Spices	KGS	717.78	823.79	858.95	168.99
61	Other Textile Yarn, Fabric Madeup Article		737.33	766.52	712.12	168.79
62	Atm, Injecting Melding Machinery etc		832.24	771.01	816.93	163.93
63	Dye Intermediates	KGS	774.79	607.41	607.91	156.86
64	Pumps Of All Types		879.12	811.52	845.66	143.86
65	Newsprint	TON	839.25	805.41	849.88	136.42
66	Natural Rubber	TON	818.29	715.12	652.57	130.30
67	Fertilizers Crude	TON	1026.79	1013.87	761.27	127.07
68	Handicrafts(Excl.Handmade Carpets)		560.49	692.79	783.83	121.92
69	Lead And Products Made Of Led	TON	630.78	491.90	597.09	118.82
70	Ceramics And Allied Products		918.65	866.43	628.36	117.53
71	Zinc And Products Made Of Zinc	TON	560.47	460.49	701.65	117.01
72	Alcoholic Beverages	LTR	408.46	447.38	535.64	113.47
73	Finished Leather	KGS	646.24	596.45	552.90	106.89
74	Surgicals		567.00	554.89	541.08	103.27
75	Other Miscellaneous Chemicals	KGS	670.45	596.74	527.84	99.34
76	Gold And Other Precious Metal Jewellery		571.93	706.37	381.63	95.03
77	Nickel, Product Made Of Nickel	TON	1388.66	901.86	554.94	90.16
78	Auto Tyres And Tubes	NOS	442.81	515.28	508.03	87.49
79	Sugar	TON	601.17	612.24	1021.81	79.60
80	Granit, Natural Stone And Product	KGS	472.06	500.15	449.78	76.10
81	Cotton Fabrics, Madeups Etc.		506.10	504.34	372.66	73.18
82	Books, Publications And Printing		382.17	348.02	276.62	72.84
83	Optical Items (Incl.Lens Etc)		327.74	332.79	311.56	68.57
84	Iron Ore	TON	1067.86	494.25	322.25	68.45
85	Misc Processed Items		292.05	277.20	316.88	68.06
86	Railway Transport Equipments, Parts		399.32	500.14	369.29	66.72

S. No.	Principal Commodities	Unit	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 (Apr-May)*
87	Manmade Staple Fibre	KGS	406.78	402.59	365.94	61.97
88	Dyes	KGS	328.41	319.62	304.86	61.21
89	Wool, Raw	KGS	348.73	308.47	282.42	60.42
90	Footwear Of Rubber/Canvas Etc.		180.36	192.20	221.97	51.54
91	Packaging Materials	TON	249.43	255.48	259.12	50.90
92	Wheat	TON	9.95	135.45	1268.64	50.34
93	Sports Goods		201.28	221.01	224.21	49.05
94	Other Crude Minerals	KGS	398.27	333.28	272.84	46.78
95	Footwear Of Leather		253.87	253.18	290.09	46.12
96	Other Precious And Base Metals		250.48	218.82	191.20	45.90
97	Rmg Cotton Incl Accessories		236.49	269.27	288.60	44.34
98	Bicycle And Parts		219.28	184.85	226.48	39.35
99	Tin And Products Made Of Tin	TON	202.91	192.53	173.32	38.44
100	Prime Mica And Mica Products		0.00	0.00	0.00	37.72
101	Motor Vehicle/Cars	NOS	300.63	288.59	328.51	37.63
102	Nuclear Reactor, Indl Boilr, Part		509.65	562.17	359.85	36.28
103	Cocoa Products	KGS	253.58	212.96	229.68	34.05
104	Silk, Raw	KGS	158.93	153.71	162.88	29.99
105	Oil Meals	TON	44.71	65.26	145.29	28.88
106	Cement, Clinker & Asbestos Cement	TON	91.93	104.19	141.98	25.46
107	Essential Oils	KGS	116.24	134.10	142.85	24.21

108 Rmg Manmade Fibres 142.50 167.81 175.99 23.66
109 Graphite, Explosives And Accesory KGS 139.75 64.48 76.76 23.22
110 Rmg Of Other Textile Material 122.72 124.50 116.52 19.22
111 Processed Fruits And Juices KGS 81.58 80.31 81.73 19.19
112 Fruits / Vegetable Seeds KGS 100.48 107.57 97.42 18.94
113 Stationery/Office, School Supply 81.72 88.32 86.07 18.79
114 Electrodes KGS 86.33 81.38 83.19 18.46
115 Other Cereals TON 10.03 51.84 73.30 15.91
116 Other Oil Seeds TON 26.59 32.99 58.55 15.44
117 Cereal Preparations TON 95.44 87.81 87.15 15.13
118 Coffee KGS 152.20 122.59 138.20 14.84
119 Marine Products KGS 73.93 97.23 94.37 14.61
120 Carpet(Excl. Silk) Handmade SQM 74.42 79.35 71.42 14.51
121 Sulphur, Unroasted Iron Pyrite TON 286.41 217.10 131.19 14.46
122 Tea KGS 63.57 58.04 50.45 10.25
123 Leather Goods 76.53 82.84 68.30 9.80
124 Ayush And Herbal Products KGS 57.58 54.13 53.50 9.58
125 Raw Hides And Skins 87.19 62.96 57.15 9.56
126 Other Jute Manufactures 67.05 85.54 54.57 9.45
127 Office Equipments 161.49 124.22 91.56 8.85
128 Woollen Yarn,Fabrics,Madeups etc 64.46 58.74 44.11 8.57
129 Natural Silk Yarn,Fabrics,Madeup 51.72 46.55 44.76 8.24
130 Dairy Products KGS 61.49 56.64 38.02 8.17

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131 Cotton Yarn TON 41.33 41.69 52.25 7.97
132 Sesame Seeds KGS 62.67 27.59 65.88 7.92
133 Two And Three Wheelers NOS 34.90 48.09 40.38 7.33
134 Jute Yarn TON 49.94 77.57 74.95 6.78
135 Jute, Raw TON 23.18 55.68 104.96 6.06
136 Tobacco Manufactured 32.76 29.74 34.07 5.34
137 Floriculture Products KGS 18.52 17.43 19.96 3.22
138 Leather Footwear Component KGS 26.32 27.62 23.14 3.20
139 Processed Vegetables KGS 17.07 18.40 17.17 3.17
140 Tobacco Unmanufactured KGS 15.90 20.54 11.47 2.69
141 Handloom Products 10.20 10.43 5.35 2.27
142 Human Hair, Products Thereof KGS 13.39 8.29 5.93 1.92
143 Coir And Coir Manufactures 5.55 4.70 7.25 1.85
144 Molasses TON 4.93 1.16 1.35 1.74
145 Jute Hessian 29.00 27.79 8.61 1.39
146 Niger Seeds KGS 0.60 6.76 12.38 1.06
147 Rmg Wool 16.06 14.17 11.15 0.79
148 Other Meat TON 3.19 2.64 2.84 0.67
149 Rmg Silk 6.13 4.83 3.91 0.66
150 Poultry Products 6.18 4.04 4.43 0.41
151 Leather Garments KGS 2.10 7.99 1.67 0.34
152 Mica KGS 0.63 0.86 1.28 0.34
153 Milled Products KGS 2.90 3.26 2.42 0.33
154 Silk Waste KGS 4.24 5.53 2.24 0.28
155 Floor Cvrng Of Jute SQM 0.78 1.23 0.89 0.24
156 Sheep/Goat Meat TON 1.43 0.73 1.27 0.22
157 Rice(Other Than Basmoti) TON 1.77 0.91 1.08 0.21
158 Shellac KGS 9.75 2.99 2.01 0.17
159 Fresh Vegetables TON 1.82 59.78 1.66 0.17
160 Groundnut TON 0.08 0.05 0.21 0.16
161 Processed Meat TON 0.85 0.42 0.67 0.07
162 Saddlery And Harness KGS 0.37 0.25 0.32 0.05
163 Guergam Meal TON 0.95 2.07 0.36 0.03
164 Castor Oil KGS 0.30 0.17 0.22 0.03
165 Cashew Nut Shell Liquid KGS 1.63 0.87 0.55 0.02
166 Copper & Products Made Of Copper TON 3297.06 3358.76 3449.38 0.00
167 Other Non Ferrous Metal And Product KGS 851.95 813.24 835.41 0.00
168 Prime Mica And Mica Products KGS 182.20 203.29 208.42 0.00
169 Silk Carpet SQM 0.07 0.01 0.02 0.00
India's Total Imports 448033.41 381006.63 384319.29 76159.40
Source: DGCI&S, Kolkata (* Provisional)

Annexure-II
Statement referred to in reply of part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred question no. 127 for answer on 17th July 2017.
India's Merchandise Exports: Principal Commodity-wise

(in US$ Millions)

S. No.	Principal Commodities	Unit	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 (Apr-May, 2017)*
1	Petroleum Products	TON	56794.15	30582.72	31704.33	5508.45
2	Pearl, Precious, Semiprecious Stones		24758.79	22297.26	25053.11	4094.90
3	Gold & Other Precious Metal Jewellery		13242.41	10958.01	12083.62	2599.09
4	Drug Formulations, Biologicals	KGS	11215.86	12647.84	12701.18	1832.89
5	Iron And Steel	TON	8684.40	5492.75	8731.59	1713.44
6	Rmg Cotton Incl Accessories		9282.83	9091.55	8545.11	1477.52
7	Ship, Boat And Floating Structure		5268.36	3088.46	4527.87	1338.86
8	Motor Vehicle/Cars	NOS	6684.05	6727.44	7582.97	1201.38
9	Gold	KGS	2845.15	5573.54	6004.20	1164.67
10	Rmg Manmade Fibres		3997.13	4181.71	5048.59	1156.65
11	Products Of Iron And Steel		7562.81	6134.95	5913.98	1034.50
12	Marine Products	KGS	5510.49	4767.50	5920.00	1032.12
13	Organic Chemicals	KGS	5394.35	4859.52	4864.92	920.80
14	Electric Machinery And Equipment		3974.04	3689.51	4646.46	876.52
15	Cotton Fabrics, Madeups Etc.		5516.41	5266.17	5227.70	867.86
16	Rice −Basmati	TON	4516.28	3477.98	3222.26	791.66
17	Manmade Yarn, Fabrics, Madeups		5275.03	4621.63	4571.40	780.00
18	Indl. Machinery For Dairy Etc		4769.28	4641.95	4660.11	763.17
19	Auto Components/Parts		4438.56	4217.37	4223.85	735.34
20	Aluminium, Products Of Aluminium	TON	2859.37	2639.77	3256.07	657.24
21	Rmg Of Other Textile Material		2941.65	3184.54	3458.04	656.45
22	Residual Chemical And Allied Product		3490.25	3505.17	3907.12	643.01
23	Bulk Drugs, Drug Intermediates	KGS	3561.39	3597.28	3400.55	540.70
24	Spices	KGS	2430.35	2541.46	2901.98	533.05
25	Buffalo Meat	TON	4781.18	4069.08	3924.63	530.09
26	Other Misc. Engineering Items		1835.43	1988.33	1974.83	481.03
27	Copper And Products Made Of Copper	TON	3420.30	2539.74	2686.46	450.59
28	Cotton Yarn	TON	3937.41	3608.12	3350.02	436.06
29	Plastic Raw Materials	TON	2508.66	2491.33	2520.67	432.90
30	Ic Engines And Parts		2397.98	2106.23	2220.25	432.50
31	Rice(Other Than Basmati)	TON	3336.84	2368.64	2557.44	416.76
32	Granit, Natural Stone And Product	KGS	2019.82	1832.35	1860.26	352.53
33	Electronics Instruments		1900.92	1962.80	2016.31	345.50
34	Other Commodities		3511.70	4303.28	2569.52	343.88
35	Dyes	KGS	2129.98	1873.95	1930.07	323.76
36	Two And Three Wheelers	NOS	1864.34	1777.84	1648.62	321.99
37	Agro Chemicals	KGS	1951.77	1965.71	2147.03	317.76
38	Footwear Of Leather		2279.00	2148.41	2135.04	313.03
39	Electronics Components		1880.46	1842.05	1795.23	303.35
40	Handicrafts (Excl.Handmade Carpets)		1378.04	1637.67	1929.34	299.00

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41	Cotton Raw Incl. Waste	TON	1900.19	1938.66	1632.21	298.54
42	Aircraft, Spacecraft And Parts		6158.51	3729.36	3007.19	290.65
43	Iron Ore	TON	515.27	191.46	1516.23	283.55
44	Cosmetics And Toiletries		1404.01	1356.58	1460.41	273.12
45	Auto Tyres And Tubes	NOS	1648.11	1387.25	1498.85	265.03
46	Carpet(Excl. Silk) Handmade	SQM	1358.16	1437.60	1485.12	241.26
47	Ceramics And Allied Products		925.89	990.21	1179.58	239.22
48	Atm, Injctng Mlding Machinery Etc		1344.42	1262.83	1272.29	227.43
49	Telecom Instruments		1073.26	875.72	1042.72	217.76
50	Leather Goods		1453.20	1370.84	1322.13	206.94
51	Paper, Paper Board And Product		1182.01	1184.56	1222.34	204.42
52	Castor Oil	KGS	770.49	705.20	676.43	196.55
53	Medical And Scientific Instrument		1080.28	989.24	1177.54	195.56
54	Plastic Sheet, Film, Plates Etc	KGS	1068.79	1030.51	1023.29	189.50
55	Other Construction Machinery		1177.40	1077.86	1076.53	187.03
56	Moulded And Extruded Goods		988.24	1049.22	1036.51	183.90
57	Coffee	KGS	814.02	783.87	846.16	178.99
58	Sugar	TON	871.41	1490.52	1293.46	176.14
59	Ac, Refrigeration Machinery Etc		1168.33	1048.09	986.01	168.15
60	Fresh Fruits	TON	516.26	635.49	750.90	166.16
61	Finished Leather	KGS	1331.76	1049.26	889.55	164.27
62	Cashew	TON	909.26	768.55	790.62	160.58
63	Other Rubber Product Except Footwear		1071.11	922.30	965.36	159.01
64	Oil Meals	TON	1324.17	553.01	800.60	151.17
65	Inorganic Chemicals	KGS	683.59	628.20	774.64	142.80

66 Pumps Of All Types 773.24 707.18 763.95 137.89
67 Plywood And Allied Products 714.81 777.69 784.57 133.77
68 Guergam Meal TON 1551.87 496.57 467.10 131.54
69 Processed Minerals KGS 1034.39 872.82 899.35 128.04
70 Fresh Vegetables TON 763.24 799.93 860.29 119.66
71 Paint, Varnish And Allied Product KGS 669.06 594.73 664.70 117.05
72 Other Miscellaneous Chemicals KGS 742.21 673.64 643.89 111.34
73 Zinc And Products Made Of Zinc TON 608.06 527.07 611.61 111.08
74 Packaging Materials TON 509.93 572.04 659.95 111.01
75 Hand Tool, Cutting Tool Of Metals 755.70 640.60 640.11 110.21
76 Glass And Glassware 718.49 721.19 683.61 106.29
77 Tobacco Unmanufactured KGS 680.01 665.33 637.49 103.15
78 Manmade Staple Fibre KGS 551.59 540.41 597.25 101.26
79 Tea KGS 681.79 720.03 734.25 99.36
80 Miscellaneous Processed Items 453.66 444.28 456.47 91.20
81 Cereal Preparations TON 496.41 513.03 532.75 87.29
82 Bulk Minerals And Ores 443.94 550.51 406.64 85.51
83 Processed Fruits And Juices KGS 592.26 574.46 582.94 85.03
84 Leather Garments KGS 604.58 553.98 536.32 83.73
85 Nuclear Reactor, Indl Boilr, Part 603.89 680.77 671.62 83.63
86 Machine Tools 376.89 392.35 452.82 80.24
87 Groundnut TON 760.37 620.36 811.47 79.09

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88 Other Non Ferrous Metal and Product KGS 499.29 431.88 447.52 77.06
89 Ayush And Herbal Products KGS 354.68 364.00 403.91 70.92
90 Footwear Of Rubber/Canvas Etc. 307.20 308.15 340.32 68.62
91 Optical Items (Incl.Lens Etc) 306.34 342.96 380.59 65.66
92 Sesame Seeds KGS 772.27 459.77 404.14 65.50
93 Consumer Electronics 808.01 651.48 574.19 65.12
94 Other Textile Yarn, Fabric Madeup Article 399.59 335.69 359.26 63.01
95 Handloom Products 369.55 368.52 360.71 62.24
96 Other Plastic Items 420.29 370.27 346.56 61.45
97 Surgicals 299.57 302.88 334.32 59.58
98 Cement, Clinker And Asbestos Cement TON 378.31 335.62 368.55 57.22
99 Leather Footwear Component KGS 361.94 285.10 300.13 52.95
100 Pulses TON 199.86 252.11 191.63 52.84
101 Tobacco Manufactured 278.61 316.68 325.18 52.67
102 Coir And Coir Manufactures 282.19 261.59 296.36 51.75
103 Alcoholic Beverages LTR 369.59 310.31 300.30 51.22
104 Cranes, Lifts And Winches 341.79 423.63 388.61 50.74
105 Bicycle And Parts 354.16 298.44 294.67 50.01
106 Other Precious And Base Metals 414.05 447.29 421.66 49.77
107 Human Hair, Products Thereof KGS 336.37 301.15 297.12 47.27
108 Railway Transport Equipments, Parts 135.35 109.93 231.96 42.48
109 Lead And Products Made Of Led TON 173.20 181.53 238.08 41.98
110 Dairy Products KGS 355.83 256.93 255.75 41.77
111 Computer Hardware, Peripherals 346.44 358.18 267.63 39.48
112 Books, Publications And Prntng 265.66 285.48 282.54 38.77
113 Accumulators And Batteries 213.06 203.30 234.23 38.51
114 Stationery/Office, School Supply 250.07 244.09 232.06 38.13
115 Rmg Silk 303.97 244.06 192.33 36.38
116 Processed Vegetables KGS 281.75 258.92 264.83 34.56
117 Sports Goods 274.50 227.70 225.55 33.76
118 Coal, Coke And Briquettes Etc TON 136.51 160.45 142.35 33.69
119 Dye Intermediates KGS 239.85 181.14 185.47 32.57
120 Woollen Yarn, Fabrics,Madeups etc 201.85 196.44 176.05 31.15
121 Sheep/Goat Meat TON 135.71 128.38 130.59 29.00
122 Other Cereals TON 869.11 261.18 212.35 27.35
123 Rmg Wool 307.75 262.37 214.69 25.91
124 Other Oil Seeds TON 185.04 147.77 126.79 24.86
125 Cocoa Products KGS 138.87 193.31 162.66 24.67
126 Jute Hessian 126.00 125.54 138.65 23.41
127 Saddlery And Harness KGS 162.85 146.47 143.10 23.37
128 Essential Oils KGS 90.17 115.44 112.46 22.98
129 Other Crude Minerals KGS 152.26 108.02 131.96 22.90
130 Fruits / Vegetable Seeds KGS 69.96 80.89 78.86 21.93
131 Wheat TON 828.75 164.22 66.94 20.26
132 Milled Products KGS 168.76 169.12 121.99 19.28
133 Office Equipments 54.77 89.49 119.15 17.38

134 Other Jute Manufactures 109.24 117.47 123.54 17.15

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135 Other Wood And Wood Products 2.22 85.88 46.58 15.57
136 Graphite, Explosives & Accessory KGS 68.46 66.49 74.87 14.80
137 Poultry Products 106.38 117.42 79.29 13.89
138 Floriculture Products KGS 75.40 73.80 81.85 12.37
139 Vegetable Oils TON 94.56 79.93 117.18 11.29
140 Mica KGS 56.02 52.72 56.00 10.46
141 Fertilizers Manufactured TON 82.54 91.70 60.60 10.45
142 Natural Silk Yarn, Fabrics, Madeup 124.97 84.05 61.97 9.57
143 Sulphur, Unroasted Iron Pyrite TON 60.57 78.93 52.13 8.80
144 Floor Cvrng Of Jute SQM 39.09 34.00 38.04 7.32
145 Shellac KGS 43.80 30.90 33.44 6.81
146 Natural Rubber TON 7.06 58.70 38.91 6.59
147 Electrodes KGS 38.60 42.53 40.79 6.54
148 Nickel, Product Made Of Nickel TON 897.58 492.88 92.70 5.48
149 Prime Mica And Mica Products KGS 19.51 17.15 18.27 3.89
150 Jute Yarn TON 22.64 18.34 10.86 3.32
151 Tin And Products Made Of Tin TON 37.73 57.22 8.85 2.92
152 Mollases TON 31.61 101.00 47.07 2.22
153 Jute, Raw TON 19.41 17.18 10.95 2.03
154 Silk Waste KGS 17.86 13.74 14.67 1.80
155 Silver KGS 5.68 7.35 11.30 1.58
156 Fertilizers Crude TON 7.75 11.83 9.27 1.44
157 Niger Seeds KGS 17.71 18.99 17.53 1.29
158 Cashew Nut Shell Liquid KGS 9.10 8.83 6.57 0.90
159 Newsprint TON 8.05 2.67 2.42 0.63
160 Pulp And Waste Paper KGS 7.92 11.32 7.92 0.44
161 Project Goods KGS 36.59 25.13 30.35 0.38
162 Animal Casings KGS 3.18 2.61 2.06 0.33
163 Silk Carpet SQM 2.62 2.60 9.50 0.21
164 Processed Meat TON 2.29 0.96 0.69 0.15
165 Silk, Raw KGS 0.11 0.22 0.07 0.08
166 Wool, Raw KGS 0.04 0.44 0.28 0.04
167 Raw Hides And Skins 1.87 0.28 0.33 0.03
168 Other Meat TON 0.44 0.14
India's Total Exports 310352.01 262290.13 276280.29 48629.00
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